

**The Nebraska National Bank
Of Omaha, Neb.**

Paid up Capital - \$250,000.

DIRECTORS:

R. J. JOHNSON, President, of Steele, Johnson & Co.

A. E. TOUZALIN, Vice President, of C. B. & Q.

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JOHN COLLINS, of G. H. & J. S. Collins.

M. WOOLWORTH, Counsellor & Attorney at Law.

REED, of Reed & Co.

W. F. YATES, Cashier, late Cashier of the First National Bank of Omaha, and connected with the active members of that bank since its organization in 1863.

Office for business, Fifth St., 1882, with the largest capital of any bank in Nebraska.

Colleges receive special attention and charges obtainable here or elsewhere.

Investors allowed on time deposits upon favorable terms and upon accounts of banks and bankers.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE, Government Bonds and County and City securities bought and sold.

It is the desire to do a business in business and will do so, and the treatment of customers will pursue the most liberal policy consistent with safe banking.

**J. W. RODEFER.
Broker.**

Stocks, Bonds, Commercial Paper and all other Good Securities dealt in.

Rooms 4, No. 28 Pearl St., Council Bluffs, Ia.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

FINANCIAL.

Special Dispatches to The Bee.

NEW YORK. May 17.

Money - 2½% per cent, closed at 263 per cent.

Prime Mercantile Paper - 5½% per cent.

Starling Exchange - Bankers' bills quiet, but steady at 4 8/8; demand, 4 8/8.

Governments irregular but, in general, strong and 2 per cent higher.

Stocks active and weak, opening slightly below quotations of yesterday's close, but the market was firm in the early dealings and advanced to the extent of 2 per cent, led by New Jersey Central. From then to 11 o'clock the market was very weak and recorded a decline of 4 8/8 per cent.

This was shortly followed by a recovery of 4 8/8 per cent in the general list and 1 per cent in Wabash preferred, but about mid-day another decline, ranging from 2 to 1 per cent, took place led by the Missouri Pacific. In the afternoon there was a fractional improvement, after which the market, though active, was weak and fell off almost steadily to the close, the decline ranging from 2 to 2 per cent, in which Indians, Bloomington & Western, Texas Pacific, Kansas & Texas and Western Union were most conspicuous. The market closed weak at a decline on the day's transaction of 4 8/8 per cent.

GOVERNMENTS.

Yesterday. To-day.

\$... 1034 1034

5%... 1034 1034

4½% Coupons... 113 113

4½%... 113 113

4½% Bills of Exchange... 127 127

BONDS.

Central Pacific firsts... 114 114

Nic. seconds... 98 98

Lehigh & Wilkesbarre... 104 104

Louisiana consols... 64 67

Missouri 6's... 1125 1124

St. Joseph... 110 109

St. Paul & Sioux City firsts... 111 109

Tennessee 6's... 39 39

do new... 39 39

Texas & Pacific land grants... 64 60

do R. G. divs... 82 82

Union Pacific 1st mortgage... 114 114

do land grants... 108 107

do sinking fund... 116 116

Virginia 6's... 37 37

do consols 6's... 35 35

do deferred... 94 11

STOCKS.

Adams Express... 125 125

Allis-Brown... 115 115

Alton & Terre Haute... 674 692

Appleton... 894 892

American Express... 94 94

Burl. Cedar Rapids & North... 80 80

Canada Southern... 656 642

C. St. L. & P... 24 120

do pfd... 568 552

Central Pacific... 20 725

Chesapeake & Ohio... 20 725

do 1st pfds... 30 30

do 2d pfds... 24 24

Chicago & Alton... 132 131

do pfd... 140 140

Chl. Bur. & Quincy... 123 122

Chi. St. L. & P. Dividends... 98 98

Chi. St. L. & P. Dividends... 39 39

Chester & Lakewood canal... 109 109

Del. Lack. & Western... 124 123

Denver & Rio Grande... 46 46

Erie... 382 382

do pfd... 75 76

East Tennessee... 182 182

do preferred... 182 182

Fort Wayne & Chicago... 133 133

Hannibal & St. Joseph... 43 43

do pfd... 95 95

Harlem... 194 194

Houston & Texas Central... 73 73

Illinoian Central... 27 27

Ind. & Pac. & Western... 25 25

Kansas City... 274 274

Lake Erie & Western... 26 26

Lake Shore & Michigan So... 182 182

Louisville & Nashville... 49 48

Louis. New Alb. & Chicago... 52 52

M. & M. 1st pfds... 10 10

do 2d pfds... 5 5

do 3d pfds... 25 25

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